

shall be issued without charge and only to residents and land-owners of the said counties. In Allegany County, there shall be no period for hunting antlerless deer unless the member of the Commission from the geographical section embracing the county agrees to such a period.}]

IN ANY COUNTY OR ELECTION DISTRICT OF THE STATE, THE COMMISSION MAY REDUCE THE DEER POPULATION IN AREAS SUFFERING FROM CROP DAMAGE AFTER THOROUGH INVESTIGATION SHOWS THAT SUCH ACTION IS JUSTIFIED. THE METHOD OF REDUCING THE DEER POPULATION SHALL BE AT THE DISCRETION OF THE COMMISSION EXCEPT THAT WHEREVER FEASIBLE TRAPPING SHALL BE PREFERRED. THE DEER WHICH MAY BE TAKEN UNDER THIS PROVISION SHALL BE DISPOSED OF BY THE DIRECTOR OF THE COMMISSION AS HE MAY DEEM ADVISABLE AND FOR THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE STATE.

132A. The open season for hunting of partridge (quail) shall be from November 15 of any year to January 31 of the year following.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1963.

Approved April 30, 1963.

CHAPTER 755

(House Bill 655)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 108(18) of Article 52 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition and 1962 Supplement), title "Justices of the Peace," subtitle "Trial Magistrates System," and to add new Sections 112(d) and 119(l) to said Article of the Code, to follow immediately after Sections 112(c) and 119(k) thereof, respectively, relating to the compensation, duties and ~~employers~~ EMPLOYEES of the trial magistrates and substitute trial magistrates in St. Mary's County.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 108(18) of Article 52 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition and 1962 Supplement), title "Justices of the Peace," subtitle "Trial Magistrates System," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments; and that new sections 112(d) and 119(l) be and they are hereby added to said Article of the Code, to follow immediately after Sections 112(c) and 119(k) thereof, respectively, and to read as follows:

108.

(18) There shall be one trial magistrate who shall sit at Leonardtown and who shall receive an annual salary of ~~[\$3,200.00]~~ \$5,000.00.